

THE VICTORIAN SOCIETY BIRMINGHAM & WEST MIDLANDS

Semicentenary Luncheon at Highbury

Sunday 9th April 2017

12.30 p.m. for a 1.00 p.m.

£26 per person

To celebrate the Group's semicentenary it is fitting that we return to Highbury, formerly the home of Joseph Chamberlain, where we also celebrated our 25th anniversary.

As a man with great ambitions for himself in the political world, and with a son who was being made ready to follow in his footsteps, Chamberlain wished to own a house that reflected his status and importance in Midlands society. Designed by J. H. Chamberlain, it is now Grade I Listed and will be an ideal place to view and enjoy while we reminisce about our Group's activities and successes over the past 50 years.

We will be joined by the Director of the Victorian Society, Chris Costello and the National Chairman Professor Hilary Grainger (who is a regular contributor to our Day Schools). Former Chairmen of our Group and civic dignitaries from across the West Midlands have also been invited.

The 2 pre-selected 2 course meal will be served from a central table.

Please indicate your menu choices for each course and return this form to Gill Sockett.

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Main Course	N°
Pieces of chicken in pesto cream sauce with Parma ham, leek and mushroom braised rice.	
Loin of salmon with asparagus in a champagne and rocket sauce with baby new potatoes	
Baby butternut squash and stir fried greens and roasted mushroom paella (V)	
Desserts	
Fresh Fruit Salad and cream	
Hot apple pie and custard	

Closing date for bookings with full payment is Friday March 17th 2017

Name(s):

Mobile or Evening Tel: Email.....

I would like to reserve _____ places @ £26 per person Total enclosed £.....

Please make cheques payable to *The Victorian Society (Birmingham Group)*

Any special dietary requirements

Please return your form and payment to Gill Sockett, 5 Birdlip Grove, Quinton, Birmingham, B32 1ER
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